

Minutes of a Special Meeting of the Justice Committee

The Justice Committee of the McLean County Board met on Tuesday, July 22, 2008, at 8:30 a.m. in Room 400 of the Government Center, 115 E. Washington Street, Bloomington, Illinois.

Members Present: Chairman Renner; Members Butler, Rackauskas, and Harding

Members Absent: Member Nuckolls and Cavallini

Staff Present: Mr. John Zeunik, County Administrator; and Ms. Judith A. LaCasse, Recording Secretary

Department Heads/
Elected Officials
Present: None

Others Present: Ms. Lori McCormick, Director, Court Services; Ms. Cathy Waltz, Superintendent, Juvenile Detention Center

Chairman Renner called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

Chairman Renner presented a request for approval of a three-year Accreditation Contract between the American Correctional Association and the McLean County Juvenile Detention Center for Court Services. Chairman Renner explained that the Juvenile Detention Center (JDC) goes through a re-accreditation process every three years.

Ms. Cathy Waltz, Superintendent, Juvenile Detention Center, indicated that usually they receive notice further in advance from the American Correctional Association as to when the accreditation visit will occur, but notification was just received recently that the audit has been set for August 18 and 19. She advised that the fee for the audit is \$11,100.00, which is the same amount as last year.

Mr. Zeunik indicated that this expenditure was budgeted in the FY 2008 Adopted Budget, so there is no need for an emergency appropriation for additional money.

Motion by Harding/Rackauskas to Recommend Approval of an Accreditation Contract between the American Correctional Association and the McLean County Juvenile Detention Center for Court Services.
Motion carried.

Chairman Renner asked if there was any other business or communication for the Justice Committee. Hearing none, the meeting was adjourned at 8:34 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Ms. Judith A. LaCasse
Recording Secretary

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